



Wycombe 3 Newport 1

STEVE PERRIN scored twice in five minutes to put Isthmian League Wycombe into the second round of the FA Cup for the second time in their history.

Newport, haunted by the memory of their 6—1 thrashing at Barnet three years ago, were completely outgunned.

Fourth Division County were soon in trouble with referee Spencer, who booked Len Hill.

Wycombe held the edge in a hard-fought first-half and Dylan Evans wasted their best chance when he blasted the ball over in the 24th minute.

Mick Hancock was booked after 34 minutes for pulling back

Evans when he had broken through.

Three minutes into the second-half Newport almost went ahead. Rod Jones lobbed the ball over goalkeeper John Maskell but his effort struck the crossbar.

Perrin blasted Wycombe ahead in the 62nd minute when he ran on to Tony Horseman's astute pass and lashed the ball past John Macey.

Five minutes later Macey failed to hold Roger Grant's free-kick and Perrin was there to nod the ball home.

In the 71st minute Evans delighted the 8,000-strong crowd with the third goal. Horseman again provided the pass.

County staged one final assault and substitute Wynne Hooper slotted home.